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A Note from Mayor Williams

You may have heard or read the article in the paper regarding Bunker Hill's efforts to improve EMS response times especially for the west side of Bunker Hill Village. This has been a topic of discussion and oversight for many years as a result of the geographical location of the existing Fire Station.

As we continue to see traffic increase in the area and in the Village, the City is committed to ensure our public safety access is not compromised for our residents.

We are currently working with a consultant to see how best to approach this challenge. We are hopeful we can continue to work with the Village Fire Department to address our concerns.

Know that your public safety is our top priority. Thank you,

Mayor Jay Williams



Dear Residents,

The City Council has begun the annual budget process preparing for Fiscal Year (Calendar Year) 2019. The Council has reviewed the proposed budget and supports maintaining the tax rate at \$0.277 per \$100 in valuation. There is a proposed increase in utility rates offset by the reduced costs for trash and recycling. As Mayor Williams states, public safety is our top priority. The budget continues to focus on Fire, EMS and Police as well as our public infrastructure: water, wastewater, drainage and streets. Watch our website for more details on the 2019 Budget as well as the approval process.

We are also pleased to share new information on paying your utility bill. Many residents have asked to pay their bill with their credit card. This has been available online; however, you can now set up your account for <u>auto-pay via credit card</u> and you can pay by phone. See more information below.

Memorial Villages Police Department has announced the date for National Night Out. This year we will <u>not</u> be hosting one big event, instead we invite residents to go outside, on your own street and meet your neighbors, back to the original intent of this National Event. Please *see information on the back to* register your event so our Police Officers can come to you!

Please see our project update on the back as well as other information we wanted to share including our award winning 4th of July float! Thanks to Memorial Drive Presbyterian Church for the use of the golf carts and to the City's Summer Interns, Jake Reinbolt and Morgan Gaille, for their efforts all summer.

Cordially, Karen Glynn, City Administrator

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Our online utility billing application has been updated and gives you access to your account 24 hours a day, 365 days a year by computer or telephone. You can also set up for automatic payments from your credit card. Visit us at www.bunkerhilltx.gov to get started! Look for the green icon above and it will take you to "Utility Billing."

Or by phone, call 888-375-8130.

Please contact us with any questions.